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Title: Method for Genotyping Polymorphisms in Humans

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the October 26, 2005 Restriction Requirement, the Examiner is requiring an election between the following group of claims:

- Claims 1-4, drawn to an array comprising nucleic acid probes wherein each probe I. consists essentially of SEQ ID NOS 1-124,031, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1.
- Claim 5, drawn to a kit comprising at least 1000 different oligonucleotides of the П. SNPs listed in Table 1, classified in class 536, subclass 24.3.
- Claims 6-7, drawn to the method of genotyping at least 1000 different SNPs listed Ш. in Table 1, classified in class 435, subclass 6.

Applicants hereby elect without traverse of the invention of Group I, Claims 1-4. Applicants reserve the right to re-present non-elected claims in a divisional, or other related application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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